



High Commission of India Singapore

## Insolvency and Bankruptcy Roadshow in Singapore

## THE INSOLVENCY AND BANKRUPTCY CODE: A NEW PARADIGM FOR STRESSED ASSETS'

## 6<sup>th</sup> - 7<sup>th</sup> June, 2019: Singapore

The Insolvency and Bankruptcy Code, 2016 (Code) reconceptualised the framework for insolvency and bankruptcy in India. In the years following the enactment of the Code, the insolvency landscape has transformed: the provisions relating to corporate persons have been fully operationalised; two new professions - insolvency professionals and registered valuers - have developed; some of the largest stressed assets have been resolved; and rich jurisprudence has emerged. The work relating to individual insolvency, cross border insolvency and group insolvency is underway. The professionals and market participants are evolving best market practices while the Adjudicating Authority, the Appellate Authority and the Courts are settling unfolding contentious issues and refining the role of various stakeholders in the resolution processes. The authorities are constantly monitoring the implementation of the framework and amending the Code and the regulations made thereunder to address the emerging concerns and facilitate expeditious conclusion of processes. It has become a reform by the stakeholders, for the stakeholders.

The Code seeks to unlock the true underlying value of stressed assets and ensure their sustainable turnaround. Within a short span of time, about 2000 corporates, some of whom have very large stressed assets, have been admitted into corporate insolvency resolution process. About 600 of them have completed the process, either yielding resolution plans or ending up in liquidation. The huge potential for resolution of stressed assets has been attracting interest from domestic as well as global investors.

The Federation of Indian Chambers of Commerce and Industry, the Insolvency and Bankruptcy Board of India and the High Commission of India in Singapore are jointly organising a Roadshow in Singapore on 6<sup>th</sup> - 7<sup>th</sup> June, 2019 on '*Insolvency and Bankruptcy Code - New Paradigm for Stressed Assets*'.

The Roadshow includes a half-day **Conference**, which would share progress in implementation of the Code and emerging investment opportunities in stressed assets in India. Following are the details:

Date: Thursday, 6<sup>th</sup> June, 2019 Time: 9:00 am - 13:30 pm (followed by lunch) Venue: Hotel Fullerton, Singapore.

The Roadshow also includes **meetings with focused groups** of potential investors and professional firms on  $6^{\text{th}}$  -  $7^{\text{th}}$  June, 2019. These meetings would offer an opportunity to understand the details of the



insolvency reforms and investment options and opportunities in stressed assets in India with the policy makers, regulators, leading law firms and consulting firms, and financial intermediaries.

Distinguished participants expected at the Roadshow include: Dr. M. S. Sahoo, Chairperson, Insolvency and Bankruptcy Board of India HE Mr. Jawed Ashraf, High Commissioner of India in Singapore Mr. G. K. Singh, Joint Secretary, Ministry of Corporate Affairs Mr. Sunil Mehta, Chairman, Indian Banks Association and MD, Punjab National Bank Ms. Anshula Kant, Managing Director, State Bank of India Mr. Shardul Shroff, Executive Chairman, Shardul Amarchand Mangaldas & Co. Mr. Bahram N. Vakil, Founding Partner, AZB and Partners Mr. Mohit Saraf, Senior Partner, Luthra & Luthra Mr. A. S. Chandhiok, Senior Advocate Mr. Sumit Khanna, National Head (Corporate Finance & Restructuring Services), Deloitte India Mr. Sanjeev Agarwal, Partner (Corporate Finance & Investment Banking) PricewaterhouseCoopers India Mr. Nikhil Shah, Managing Director, Alvarez & Marsal Mr. Sunil Sanghai, Founder - CEO, NovaDhruva Capital Mr. R. K. Bansal, MD & CEO, Edelweiss ARC Mr. Vishal Goenka, Managing Director, Deutsche Bank AG Ms. Jvoti Vij, Dy. Secretary General, FICCI

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